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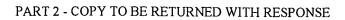
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1004 770 2004 385 Reissue filing fee	1403	290	2403	145	Request for oral hearing	
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Title:

SEISMIC P-WAVE VELOCITY DERIVED FROM VIBRATOR CONTROL SYSTEM

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RESPONSE

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated May 17, 2004 (copy enclosed) in the above-captioned application, which required replacement drawings, submitted herewith are thirteen sheets of formal replacement drawings having FIGS. 1-18, which are based on the application as originally filed.

Entry and approval of the replacement drawings are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: August 20, 2004

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